

ABSTRACT

PUBLIC SERVICES – Department for Women, Children, Disabled and Senior Citizens – Smt S.Sanjeevini, the then Matron Gr.II, Government Home for OH Women, Champapet, Welfare of Disable and Senior Citizens, Hyderabad District [now retired] - Allegation on misappropriation and excess payment of amounts towards diet charges during the period from 2010-11, 2011-12 - Departmental proceedings initiated under Rule – 20 of the A.P.Civil Services [CCA] Rules–Further action dropped - Orders – Issued.

DEPARTMENT FOR WOMEN, CHILDREN, DISABLED AND SENIOR CITIZENS (ESTT.A2)

G.O.RT.No. 127,

<u>Dated:26-05-2015</u>. <u>Read the following:</u>-

- 1. Charge Memo.No.A1/407/2012-7, dated 31.03.2012 issued by the Director, Welfare of Disabled & Senior Citizens, Hyderabad.
- 2. Smt. S.Sanjeevini, the then Matron Gr.II, Govt. Home for OH Women, Champapet, Welfare of Disable and Senior Citizens, Hyderabad District [now retired], explanation dated 24.05.2012.
- 3. Lr.No.A/130/2012, dated 28.08.2013 of the Special Executive magistrate, Enquiry officer, Hyderabad District.
- 4. Lr.No.B/1139/2013, dated 11.10.2013 of the Asst. Director, Welfare of Disabled & Senior Citizens, Hyderabad District.
- 5. From the Director, Welfare of Disabled & Senior Citizens, Hyderabad, Lr.No.A1/407/2012, dated 21.02.2015.

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ORDER:-

The Director, Welfare of Disabled & Senior Citizens, Hyderabad, in his letter 5th read above, has stated that based on the certain allegations, made by Sri Srisailam State Convener, Disabled Cell, Bharathiya Janata Party, A.P., Hyderabad regarding misappropriation of funds in payment of rents in Hyderabad dist., the then Director, Welfare of Disabled and Senior Citizens, ordered for preliminary enquiry Sri S. Malla Reddy, Assistant Director, in Head Office and Sri B.Yadagiri, Accounts Officer in Head Office to conduct for preliminary enquiry. Based on the report furnished by the team and after examining the matter the Director, Welfare of Disabled & Senior Citizens, had issued Charge Memo. vide reference 1st read above on the following two counts:-

Article of Charge No.I: Smt S.Sanjeevini, Matron Gr.II, while functioning as Matron Gr.II Government Hostel for OH Girls, Champapet, Hyderabad District, during the period 2010-11 was involved in misappropriation of an amount of Rs.2,18,578/- during the financial year 2010-11 by way of drawing of Rs.7,83,953/- as against the permissible amount of Rs.5,65,375/- as per G.O.Ms.No.15, WDCW&DW (DW.A1) Dept., dt.7.6.2008 which is in gross violation of Rule 3 (1) and 3(4) and 3(5) of the A.P. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

Article of Charge No.II: Smt Sanjeevini, Matron, Gr.II, while functioning as Matron Gr.II Government Hostel for OH Girls, Champapet, Hyderabad District, during the period 2011-12 for the period from April, 2011 to October, 2011 was involved in misappropriation of an amount of Rs.1,57,544/0 by way of drawing of Rs.4,53,586/- as against the permissible amount of Rs.2,96,042/- as per G.O.Ms.No.15, WDCW&DW (DW.A1) Dept., dt.7.6.2008 which is in gross violation of Rule 3(1) and 3(4) and 3(5) of the A.P. Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

- The Director, Welfare of Disabled & Senior Citizens, Hyderabad, has further stated that Smt Sanjeevini, Retired Matron, Gr.II,, in her explanation dated 24.05.2012 vide reference 2nd read above, had denied the charges. The Director, Welfare of Disabled & Senior Citizens has appointed Sri Jayachandra Reddy, Special Executive Magistrate, Hyderabad District as Enquiry Officer under A.P.C.S [CC & A] Rules, 1991 to enquire into the matter. The Enquiry Officer had submitted his report vide reference 3rd read above. In the process of enquiry, the Enquiry Officer observed that with regard to charge No.I, the bills pertain to the year 2010-11 have also been preferred during the year under enquiry, for Charge No.II, bills pertains to 2010-11 & 2011-12 years were also similarly preferred. Therefore, in order to prove or disprove the charges, audit reports of previous years are required. In the meanwhile, the Delinquent Officer retired from service on 31.10.2013, on attaining the age of superannuation. The report of the Assistant Director, Welfare of Disabled and Senior Citizens, Hyderabad District, vide reference 4th read above, has mentioned that subsequently audit was conducted by the Accountant General till 30.03.2013 and no misappropriation was reported for the period under enquiry. Further, the Director, Welfare of Disabled & Senior Citizens had concluded that the charges framed against the Charged Officer are not proved.
- 3. The Director, Welfare of Disabled & Senior Citizens, Hyderabad, has therefore, requested the Government to issue necessary orders in the matter.
- 4. In the circumstances stated by the Director, Welfare of Disabled & Senior Citizens, Hyderabad, Government have examined the matter and decided to conclude the disciplinary proceedings initiated against Smt S.Sanjeevini, the then Matron Gr.II, Govt. Home for OH Women, Champapet, Welfare of Disable and Senior Citizens, Hyderabad District [now retired], by dropping further action against her, since the charges framed against her are not proved. Accordingly further action in the disciplinary proceedings initiated against Smt S.Sanjeevini, the then Matron Gr.II, Government Home for OH Women, Champapet, Welfare of Disable and Senior Citizens, Hyderabad District [now retired], vide ref.1st read above is hereby dropped. Further, the Government, hereby accord permission to the Director, Welfare of Disabled & Senior Citizens, for fixation and payment of pension.
- 5. The Director, Welfare of Disabled & Senior Citizens, Hyderabad, is requested to take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

M. DANA KISHORE, SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

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The Director, Welfare of Disabled & Senior Citizens, Hyderabad.

The Accountant – General, T.S., Hyderabad.

The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, T.S., Hyderabad.

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